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March 21, 1987

The Honorable John R. McBride
The Honorable F. Keith Shepard
The Honorable Patricia A. Mummey
Office of County Commissioners
of Spokane County, Washington
Courthouse
Spokane, Washington 99260-0100

Dear Mr. McBride, Mr. Shepard, and Ms. Mummey:

Thank you for your letter of March 17, 1987 which indicates Spokane County's willingness to assume responsibility for the hazardous substance response activities at the Greenacres Landfill.

Mr. John R. Spencer of SRH Associates, Inc. has contacted me in regard to this project, and I have sent him our work plan for the remedial investigation. In addition, I would like to provide you and your project team with an initial draft of the consent order prior to the onset of formal negotiations.

Mr. Neil E. Thompson, my counterpart in the United States Environmental Protection Agency, and I have discussed this project and believe that it would be in the best interest of Spokane County to designate a Greenacres Landfill project manager as soon as possible. Your project manager would be the person responsible for overseeing the progress of this project on a day-to-day basis, and would also serve as Spokane County's focal point for this project.

We appreciate your timely response and willingness to cooperate. We shall forward a draft of the consent order to you as soon as is practicable.

Sincerely,

William E. Wright Project Manager Hazardous Waste Cleanup Program

Enclosure

xc: Neil E. Thompson, Environmental Protection Agency
Lee Rees, Office of the Attorney General
William R. Dobratz, Spokane County Utilities Department
John R. Spencer, SRH Associates, Inc.

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